

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Applicant: Heliang Liu et al.

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Examiner: Thomas Sills

Title: ON-LINE DISPERSION COMPENSATION DEVICE FOR A  
WAVELENGTH DIVISION OPTICAL TRANSMISSION  
SYSTEM

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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 5, 2006, please amend the application as follows and consider the remarks set forth below.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.